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W. o Repo t Death of C. O.

Following is a report of the Water Ion school district, the names being given in order of rank:

GRADE VII

Vera Weber.

GRADE VI

Mabel Evans, Emma Weber, Bonnie Hoffman, Myrtle Buschert, Viola Beckley, and W. J. Jor.

GRADE V

Mabel Buschert, Florence Erb, Walter Snyder, Alma Buschert, Henry Scherler.

GRADE IV

Gilbert Hoffert.

GRADE III

Ruby Shantz, Margaret Schrieber, Mary Weber, Stella Erb, Ev rang Buschert.

GRADE I

Edith Peter, Emma Hoffman, M.L. on Schrieber, Russell Snyder.

PROMER

Dannie Crowell, Roy Buschert, Lillian Schrieber, Ross Snyder and Evelyn Buschert, Emma Shantz, L. M. McKenna, Teacher.

Joh neson

The many friends of Mr. C. O. Johanson will regret to learn of his death, which occurred on Saturday night last. He had been injured in an auto accident several weeks ago when his car went over an embankment and rolled on top of him. He was immediately taken to the Calgary Hospital where he was given the best attention, but to no avail. "Gut" as he was called, was very well and popularly known in this district and it was always a pleasure to see his smiling face, and his relatives are assured of the sympathy of the entire community.

S. T. Severson and Bob Vogel left on Friday for Vancouver by auto. A letter from Mr. Severson at Sand Point, Idaho, reports a very fine trip.

Chataqua Report

The people of Didsbury district who so generously contributed towards success of our recent Chataqua would no doubt be interested to know the financial outcome. That there was a small balance left, particularly after such a trip and part in the way of a welcome to us in a great extent to the excessive charges we were compelled to pay for the ball room.


The sum mentioned as paid to the secretary for services in Chataqua, which were his last, returned to the Committee by Mr. Brown as the nucleus of a fund to be used for all needed purposes or for some future Chataqua should circumstances cause a deficit.

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Rockey Meeting

A meeting of the Hockey Branch of the Didsbury Athletic Association was held on Monday evening at which they elected officers for the coming season, and reported on the financial condition of the branch. The following is a list of the officers: President, C. Stuber; Vice-President, V. Wood; Secretary, H. S. Stuber; Treasurer, Dr. Damsen; V. Wood; J. McQueen; J. B. Greenham; Manager, J. Stuber; and Manager, N. Cook and last but not least Jimmy Halton official mascot.

A Communication

It is not our intention to stir up any feelings in an effort that they consider worthy, but we do feel here that Europe is so "rich" as a country where the people are in need of some people would have us think. There are undoubtedly parts of the country where the people are in need of assistance, but we can say that some of Canada are the U.S.A. Who should we donate our money to send to Europe when it could be used to just as great advantage at home, and it would be much more appreciated. Why send the same amount of money to Europe when the same amount of money will accomplish the same results at home? In Europe the people of Canada have so much surplus wealth that we need not send to Europe as much money as we do to rising generations of Europe? Or would those who are instrumental in collecting and sending this money to Europe not be looked upon as being so extremely philanthropic should they make an effort to foster the suffering of this country?

There are men here who have from one to four years of their lives for the good of Europe, but they receive no material credit for it, and are not asked to donate money to help those who are said to be in such dire need. Candidly, it is our opinion that the circumstances are exaggerated. If these philanthropically inclined persons want to get themselves in the limelight, let them get together and insist that the government, some through clean with the returned man and see that he gets some recognition for the time that he put in in aid of "rich" Europe; then he may feel inclined to die down in his hands for a "rich" Europe to help who are in need. In the meantime let the governments of those "rich" countries look after their own "Another" "Gleaners".

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1929

Organization for the Red Cross
drive on Armistice day, when an ap-
prol for funds for European relief
will be combined with a campaign to
raise \$100,000 for concrete provincial
purpose, is now being completed in
every city, town and rural community
of Alberta where branches of the Red
Cross Society are established. The
Imperial Order of the Daughters of
the Empire, the Alberta Women's In-
stitute, the Women's Christian Tem-
perance Union, the Navy League and
other organizations have been asked
to co-operate with the Red Cross in
this special effort. The sum to be
raised for use in Alberta has been
summarized for specific purposes.
For Red Cross rural nursing service,
hospital and ambulance fund, to be
spent in outlying districts, \$50,000 is
required; for the Red Cross homes
for soldiers, \$100,000; for European
and Calgary, \$250,000 will be set aside.
\$10,000 will go to the Red Cross Re-
creation fund for relief of tempo-
rally distressed soldiers, their wives
and children; \$15,000 for emergency
relief in medical aid, clothing and
food in cases of distress, clothing and
aid; and \$15,000 for the pro-
vision of instruction in first aid for
the provision of illustrated literature,
lectures, education in public health,
home hygiene and the combating of
disease.

This method of raising the money
in each district are left to the dis-
cretion of the local branches.

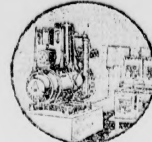


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Notice is hereby given that certain
lands in the Municipal District of
Mountain View No. 216, will be of-
fered for sale for the arrears of tax-
es and costs. The sale will take
place at the Municipal office in the
town of Didsbury on Monday, No-
vember 18th, 1929, at two o'clock p.m.
A full list of the said lands may be
seen in the Didsbury Pioneer issue
of September 26th, 1929; the Dids-
bury Gazette issue of October 1st, or print-
ed lists of same may be had on ap-
plication to the undersigned.

Unless the arrears of taxes be
summarily paid I shall proceed to sell
the said lands at the place and time
above mentioned.

Dated at Didsbury the 27th day of
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Thursday
7:30 p. m.—Junior Y. P. A.
9 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.
9 p. m.—Choir Practice.

Intimate Little Tales

SOME EXPERIENCES OF HUMAN INTEREST UNDER-
GONE IN EVERY-DAY LIFE BY EVERY-DAY PEOPLE.

The Grahams had lived in London all their lives. They were hard-working, industrious people and they had four children. They had never wanted for the necessities of life and indeed had had a good share of the luxuries as well, because Mr. Graham was fairly prosperous in his business of furniture dealer and repairer. Then, gradually at first, business began to get dull and one day the Grahams realized that their business had gone and that ruin stared them in the face. What should they do? There were several discussions on the subject and no one knows exactly how it came about, but it was at last decided that the boys and their father should go to Canada, and the girls should wait for a time until some kind of a shelter was prepared for them.

Only those who have gone through the same experience can imagine what a terrible uprooting and upheaval this great

change meant in the hitherto comfortable and conservative life of the Grahams. They had never been separated in their lives and this launching out seemed to upset all their preconceived ideas. The father was much concerned for his wife, who had been sheltered all her life, and the girls, young women of sixteen and eighteen, and it was with many a choked back sob, and many a pathetically cheerful little smile which deceived no one, that they said "good-bye."

Mr. Graham was a man who had passed middle life and it takes great courage and energy to start out on a new career at that age, especially when there is the knowledge of disappointment and failure behind, but he was made of good stuff and although the father and sons who landed at Quebec were very lonesome and homesick, they gritted their teeth and determined to "make good" for the sake of those at home.

This is a pleasant story I have to tell. Success followed their efforts, and while everything they touched in this "Promised Land" did not turn to gold, yet for all their labor they received fair re-

wards. The two sons, one fourteen and the other twenty-one, soon found jobs and Mr. Graham like the gritty Briton that he was, went to work in a cabinet maker's shop. They all worked like Trojans and in three weeks they rented a little house in the small town in which they had settled. The house was in poor repair and needed cleaning and decorating, but this did not dishearten Mr. Graham and the boys. Every evening, after a hard day's work they were at the little house, scrubbing, cleaning, papering and decorating. In the meantime, in England, a woman and her two daughters were waiting anxiously for the bulletins which came from over the sea. In one of the letters which they wrote to their men folk they said, "Do not worry that we shall mind roughing it, because we expect that and are prepared to do our share." As they, who were across the ocean looked at the little house which was growing so sweet and clean under their loving hands, they smiled but did not tell the secret which they were treasuring so carefully.

Then one day three tired women arrived. A delighted father and two sons were at the station and tears of joy were mingled with the greetings of reunion.

"You will not mind roughing it a bit will you mother?" asked the eldest son slyly as he took her bag away from her.

"No dear," she replied, "I am too glad to think we are all together again to mind anything."

"We have got some mattresses—we did the best we could, but of course it is not the same as home."

"Of course not Jim," said one

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of the girls, "we don't expect it and we don't mind, so don't worry."

At last the cab reached the little house where the window panes shone with much polishing and at which there hung neat, white curtains. In the large window at the front there were two or three geraniums in full flower at which the women gazed in astonishment. Then they went inside and while everything was plain and simple, it was all clean, fresh and new and there was everything necessary for reasonable comfort. Upstairs the beds stood, with spotless white covers; neat squares of carpet adorned the floors. In the living room a bountiful table was laid, and the kettle sang merrily on the stove.

"But James," exclaimed Mrs. Graham when she could get her breath, "I thought you said we should have to rough it, why this is lovely, I can't tell you, how pleased and happy I am." To the weary travellers this neat, pretty place was indeed a delight, and for a few hours was the

scene of much contentment and joy as they talked together trying to make up for the weeks they had been separated.

Years have passed since that evening; the Grahams have prospered greatly; they live in a much more pretentious home now than that simple little cot, but they all say that no home ever gave them the delight and joy which came from that first resting place in a strange country.

The safe way to send money by mail is by Dominion Express Money Orders.

WOUNDED BY BOMBS

While a truck load of guards was hurrying down the street recently at Trieste, the vehicle was struck by a bomb. Two of the guards were wounded. The street car men who were on strike have asked to be permitted to carry arms so as to be able to meet the attacks of persons who are said to have assaulted several of their members.

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A Reminder of the "Dog Days"



Drawn By
NELL BRINKLEY

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To be far—far out on the toppling top of a big green wave laced with cool white foam; far—far out where no beach signs can say that you shall wear stockings-and-bloomers to your ankles; far out, riding a big silver-and-black

fish with a playful willingness to carry you forward of his silver backfin, with the wind and water calling and looping your hair with salt-pearls; far out where the sea-people come up to play and follow you their strange fish tails

seen waveringly in the green of the surface, sunlit water, against the dark blue of the deep water below, their strange eyes smiling, their green hair trailing, their white hands tossing; to be far out—cool—cool—and "everything!"

Oh, dream of dog-days. Oh—soggy August! Oh, sugar! as the "Virginian" said when he had reached the end of a hot measure vocabulary and still needed to talk.

—Nell Brinkley.

Some Tales of the Indians

***** AND THEIR HALF BROTHERS *****

RELATED BY ONE WHO DWELT LONG AMONGST
THEM—PICTURESQUE TRADITIONS AND
LEGENDS OF THE NATIVES OF THE
WESTERN PLAINS

**AN INCIDENT OF THE REBEL-
LION—SOLDIERS AM-
BUSHED BY INDIANS—
COL. ALLAN MACDONALD
TO THE RESCUE—FORT
QU'APPELLE AND REGINA
—A FENIAN SCARE.**

Visitors to Fort Qu'Appelle taking the north shore road to Lebret, must have observed at a point just east of Telegraph Coulee the ruins of a large building.

Let no tenderfoot suppose for a moment that this is the remnants of some old H. B. Co. post or Chief Factor's home of the early nineteenth century days.

Its erection dates back no longer than 1886. Compared with structures of that day it was palatial, the home of a prominent lawyer of the day and a member of the old N. W. Council.

Land Speculators

This gentleman held large town lot interests at the Fort, having a controlling ownership in practically all the area stretching from what is now Company Avenue to the western end of Echo Lake. In 1882 he and his partners had made every effort to have the capitol of the Territories located in the valley. As an inevitable result he clashed with Lieut. Governor Dewdney, who had determined that Regina—shown on original maps as "Was-cana"—should be the seat of government.

The feud between these two public men finally culminated in a banquet given in honor of the legislator by the people of the Fort, nearly all of whom lived up with the honorable member.

While the banquet was given ostensibly in honor of the representative it was really staged for the purpose of giving him an opportunity to discuss before an audience of over two hundred men, the shortcomings of the Governor and the weaknesses of his administration—more especially such acts of his as, it was alleged, had been adverse to the best interests of the Fort.

Disastrous Effects

As an oration the speech was a decided success. In its effects it was disastrous.

The address received scant courtesy from the press, which resented the attack on a Governor who, it was generally conceded, was a wise, judicious and far-seeing representative of the Crown.

The result of the banquet was a booming for the Fort and in less than a week any reference to the occasion would bring forth the humiliating confession, "What damn fools we were."

A Royal Entertainer

Mr. Jackson entertained royally when the mansion, now in ruins, was one of the best homes in the Territories. Parties, balls, costly dinners and champagne suppers followed each other in rapid succession throughout "the season."

Not infrequently guests assembled from Regina, Calgary, Prince Albert and Winnipeg, including always a liberal quota of Mounted Police officers, their wives and daughters. It was, therefore, not surprising that many a time and oft there was "a sound of revelry by night" when the young and the fairy and the best gathered beneath this roof where hospitality was so lavishly dispensed.

As might be expected, the man who figured so prominently in the life of the west, was found taking an active part in the affairs of the community on the outbreak

of the Riel rebellion in March, 1885. When Fort Osborne was established at the head of Telegraph Coulee, as a supply depot a force of some two hundred soldiers was retained at Fort Qu'Appelle in an encampment east of Lebret, near the Coulee, up which the G.T.P. now drags itself on its way to the north bench land.

It was only fitting that Mr. Jackson, though a civilian, should be consulted and conferred with by those in charge of military affairs. It was in this connection that a somewhat ludicrous circumstance occurred.

A Ludicrous Affair

In the middle of April while the forces in the north under General Middleton were engaged in quelling the uprising, a rumor in the south gained so much credence that the officer in command at the Fort felt it could not be ignored.

A Fenian Alarm

This rumor was that a well organized band of Fenians, going "to aid the northern rebels," was stealing its way across country from Dakota to Batoche.

The alleged route of this band (after finding a crossing over the C.P.R.) was to be along the old cart trail running from Fort Ellice to Battleford. It is to be remembered that at the time of which we write the country through which this trail wound its weary thousands of square miles, given over entirely to the coyote, the bear, jumping deer and bands of wild horses. In its course it passed within a mile or two of what is now the town of Melville.

The Wood Mountain Trail

It was determined to intercept the Fenians. A glance at the map of our province shows an old H. B. trail leading from Wood Mountain via Fort Qu'Appelle to Pelly, passing on its way through the File Hills reservation, cutting it diagonally from southwest to northeast, intersecting the Fort Ellice trail at a point twenty or twenty-five miles west of Melville.

A Legal Guide

Over this trail the intercepting party was to pass, and set one April afternoon, Mr. Jackson, using his knowledge of the country, volunteered his services as guide. The party was made up of twenty policemen, mounted, an officer of the Canadian militia with guide in a buckboard, with a policeman and interpreter in the rear in charge of a heavy wagon loaded with supplies for a ten-day outing.

When within two miles of the reserve the party was halted by an English farmer named William Thorburn, who, knowing the temper of the Indians, warned them that the entry of so many soldiers within the boundaries of the reservation might lead to unpleasant results. Mr. Guide, who apparently had grown somewhat bumptious over his exalted position, had nothing but ridicule for any one who thought he could not take care of himself and his friends. He soon found he had reckoned amiss.

The Indians Object

The Indians were not to be caught sleeping. One of the chief conditions urged by the Indians in making their treaty with the Queen was that no soldiers should ever come upon their reserve lands to disturb their peace.

In the troublesome days of the rebellion there arose among them a strong apprehension that this stipulation might be disregarded and they acted accordingly.

By a simple system of runners, mounted scouts and small bonfires, they found no difficulty in keeping tabs on every movement of the military camp only sixteen miles away.

At noon a runner told the Indians that within the next two hours "many soldiers" would be in sight. At one o'clock a bonfire on the north hill over Lebret told them that the soldiers were on the move.

In less than half an hour after his interview with Mr. Thorburn, Mr. Guide and his party were well inside the Indian boundary—a laughing, merry crowd, happy as children going to a picnic.

An Ambush

Suddenly from among a few clumps of small trees, growing from the level prairie on either side of the trail, there sprang up a score or more of naked Indians, painted and striped in the most ferocious colors, each armed with a rifle, the naked waist girdled by a belt filled with cartridges. Each leveled rifle covered some member of the invaders.

It would not be literally true to say of these white men that their blood froze in their veins, but none would claim that they were not more than surprised.

The interpreter, an exceptionally intelligent half-breed, with an air of indifference, which the bravest Indian chief could not have improved upon, quietly demanded an explanation of this hostile attitude.

Ordered Off the Reserve

The Indians refused to parley until the soldiers would go back beyond the reserve line, and intimated that any move other than to right about face would create a situation unpleasant to all parties concerned.

Mr. Jackson no doubt considered discretion the better part of valor, so the horses' heads were promptly turned westward. They had gone but a short distance when met by Col. MacDonald, the Indian Agent, driving a pair of steaming bronchos on the dead run.

It transpired that some time after the Jackson party left camp the Colonel had driven in from Indian land, and learning what was under way, lost no time in attempting to overtake the party, knowing that a trespass across the reserve would be resented.

This diplomatic old veteran broun whistled and Red-tails together and poured oil on the troubled waters. Indian and soldier laughed and shook hands.

A Fortunate Ending

A liberal distribution of military supplies, including tea, sugar, bacon, tobacco and bread, was followed by an Indian feast, where the sentiment was freely expressed that after all the White Man was not a bad fellow.

DR. MCKAY HONORED BY MCGILL UNIVERSITY

An important accession to the strength of the law faculty at McGill University is announced by the appointment of Dr. Ira Allen McKay, to the chair of constitutional law. The chair has been established in pursuance of a policy initiated by the governors in 1918, which aims at giving McGill the status of a Dominion law school.

Prof. McKay is one of the men dismissed from the faculty of the University of Saskatchewan, after the disagreements with the heads there.

A RECORD FOR POTATOES

Saskatchewan is famous for its wheat growing, but when it comes to story about potatoes. Sixty-four pounds of potatoes were produced from one potato this year on the farm of Commissioner H. H. H. of the Saskatchewan Liquor Commission. They are all well sized.

Australia Needs Representative

Sir Joseph Cook, minister of the treasury in Australia, declared recently that it was imperative that Australia appoint a representative to go to Washington to develop trade relations and place Australia's viewpoint before the United States government when necessary.

The PERSONAL SIDE

PROMINENT WESTERN CHARACTERS—SOME INTERESTING ANECDOTES OF PEOPLE WE ALL KNOW.

A PIONEER LADY

There is hardly an old timer in the province of Saskatchewan who will not hear with regret of the death of Mrs. John A. Kerr of Regina, which occurred on Sunday of last week. She had been pre-deceased by her husband about two years and had been in bad health ever since.

The time was when the Kerr family were an institution in the old prairie capital. Mr. Kerr came to Regina in 1883 and engaged in the hardware business. He was followed by his wife and young family the following season. At that time there were few of the amenities of civilization in the crude conglomeration of tents and shacks which were the beginning of Regina.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr were hospitality itself and it was not long until their home became a social centre of the budding capital. For the first years business prospered and Mr. Kerr took a leading part in all the public activities of the place. In those days the male element greatly preponderated in the population and many a young man, sick of hotel life, had memories brought back to him of his home, by the hospitality and kindness of Mrs. Kerr. Just the other day a man now in middle age, and a wealthy and energetic man of affairs, stated the only home he had known in his youth had been that of the Kerrs. There are hundreds of people spread over the west who have reason to be grateful for her kindness.

Mr. Kerr died two years ago after a long illness, through which his wife nursed him most devotedly. His death was a fearful shock to her from which she never fully recovered. With her death passes one of the most widely-known and most popular of the old timers.

A STRANGE CASE

The case of Terrence McSwiney, the Lord Mayor of Cork who undertook to "free Ireland" by starving himself to death, is bewildering many outsiders. Mr. McSwiney was convicted of some sedition in connection with Sinn Fein activities and was imprisoned in England. He refused all nourishment and as his condition became gradually weaker, bulletins designed to encourage his countrymen were issued from his bedside. He was reported as growing weaker and weaker and nearly a month ago his death was expected from starvation. At the time of this article, despite the fact that he is supposed to have abstained from food for nearly two months he is reported to be slightly improving. The primary object of the hunger strike was apparently to induce Lloyd George and the members of his administration to release McSwiney and some other Sinn Fein leaders who were following the same tactics. Lloyd George refused to be intimidated and people all over the world are beginning to marvel at the situation. For a period of weeks the daily papers carried dispatches that McSwiney was at the point of death. He did not die, however, and the papers ceased to feature him. There are three theories as to his remarkable tenacity, after nearly two months' starvation. One was that he was sustained by some moribund manner; another that he was obtaining a little surreptitious nourishment; and the final one that nourishment was being administered unknown to himself.

In any case, like Charles II, he has been an unconsciously long time dying, although unlike the "Merry Monarch" he has had no apologies to make to an interested public.

CANON SCOTT

A good story is related of Canon Scott, the fighting parson who was so popular with the Canadian forces. He was stationed close to one of the fighting fronts in France, and expressed the desire to some engineering officers that he would like a church. The accommodating engineers detailed a party and soon had a modest church erected. Canon Scott was pleased, but he said: "What is the good of a church without a font?" Accordingly the accommodating engineers obtained a big slab of the chalky substance found in the country and one of their number with an artistic gift, made a very creditable font. When this was duly installed, Canon Scott remarked pathetically "What is the good of a font without somebody to baptize in it?" There weren't any soldiers in that part of the country just at that time, but the engineer officer arose to the occasion. He gave instructions to the Sergeant Major to provide some subjects for baptism and the following Sunday to the amazement of the Canon about ten great husky soldiers were marched into the building under an armed guard and presented for baptism. History does not relate the sequel, or whether the treatment was efficacious. The Sergeant Major declared he had picked the most serious incorrigibles of the regiment in order to see if it would do them any good.

SAM MOORE

Two short crops have made some leanness in the flourishing district of Swift Current. A year ago a settler in the district, of the name of Moore, remarked that "the country is so dry—the country, that if a jack rabbit ran across a field he would have to pack his lunch with him."

This season conditions are somewhat better and there is every reason to hope that the cycle of dry years has been broken and that the region will return to its wonted prosperity.

It may be some consolation to the settlers in that district to learn that there were three dry years in the famous Regina Plains commencing with 1892 and ending with 1894. During the latter season hardly a drop of rain fell between April and September and as the practice of summerfallow had not then become general there was failure of crops and black disaster. That is twenty-six years ago and there has not been a failure since in that region since.

There is one prominent citizen of Swift Current, however, who seems to have improved owing to the stringent conditions. Sam Moore of the Swift Current Sun, in the prosperous affluent days of the region was acquiring the goodly corporation of middle age and appeared to be progressing into the serene yellow leaf. Hard times, however, came along and Mr. Moore was stimulated into real activity. Today he has lost his corporation and presents the appearance of a hard and active man in the prime of his days. It is an ill wind that blows nobody any good, and occasionally hard times make a pretty good tonic.

TAX SALE

Sale of lands in the Municipal District of Westerdale No. 214, for arrears of taxes.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Westerdale No. 214 will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs.

The sale will take place at the Town Hall in Didsbury on Wednesday, December 15th, 1920, at 1:30 o'clock p.m.

A full list of the said lands may be seen in the Didsbury Pioneer of issue of October 29th, 1920; the Old Gazette issue of November 10, 1920 or printed lists of same may be had on application to the undersigned.

Unless the arrears of taxes be sooner paid I shall proceed to sell the said lands at the place and time above mentioned.

Dated at Didsbury this 25th day of October, 1920.

A. McNAUGHTON,
Solicitor.

Tax Sale

Sale of lands of the Town of Didsbury for arrears of Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands of the Town of Didsbury and the Didsbury School District No. 652, will unless the arrears of taxes and costs be sooner paid be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs on the 15th day of December of the Town of Didsbury.

A list of the said lands may be found in the issue of the "Didsbury Pioneer" published on Wednesday the 25th day of October, A.D. 1920. Dated at the Town of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta, this 28th day of October, A. D. 1920.

W. A. Austin,
Secretary-Treasurer.

AUCTION SALE

Under instructions from the executors of the J. B. Shantz estate, located on the N. E. 1/4 Sec. 30, 31, 1, W. 5, 1 mile east and 1 mile north of Didsbury, on

Friday, Nov. 12

I will sell by public auction the following:

HORSES
Mare wt. 1200, aged; Gelding, wt. 1200, aged; Mare, 12 yrs. old, wt. 1200; Mare, 12 yrs. old, wt. 1200; Gelding, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1200; Mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1200; Mare, wt. about 1500; Mare, 9 yrs. old, wt. 1500; Gelding, 4 yrs. old, wt. 1500; Mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1400; Mare 5 yrs. old, wt. 1200; 5 3 yrs. olds; 2 Geldings; 1 2 yr. old mare; 1 1 yr. old; 2 Sackling colts.

COWS
11 Cows, 3 fresh and some fresh soon; 2 Heifers, 2 Heifers 3 yrs. old; 5 Heifers 2 yrs. old; 7 Yearling heifers, 5 Steers, 8 Calves.

IMPLEMENTS, HARNESS, Etc.
s.d. Deering binder; 1 Deering; 2 gang plows, 12 and 14 inch; Verity hand packer; 4 disc harrow; 3 section harrow; Corn King manure spreader; wagon with triple box; wagon with rack; demountable top buggy; 3 rags; Massey Harris 4 speed drill in first class condition; Massey Harris mower; fanning mill; grain chopper; 2 hay racks to hold hay; 1 hay rack; 2 old hay racks; Bain hay stacker and sweeper; 2 bob sleighs; cutter; 1000 lb. hoist; 2 walking breaking plows; pump jack; 2 grain stouers; tank heater; roll of cable; milk tank; 3 barrel tanks; water tank; 7 oil and grease barrels; 3 heavy breaching harnesses; 2 heavy plow harnesses; a number of extra collars and sweat pads.

FURNITURE
4 iron bedsteads with mattresses and springs; 2 wash stands; 4 small tables; old fashioned bureau; old fashioned desk; crib; chiffonier; wardrobe; Heintzman piano in first class condition; book case and writing desk combined; small desk and book case; center table; 2 rocking chairs; 6 dining room chairs; 2 kitchen tables; 1 extension table; arm chair; kitchen chairs; sewing machine; nearly new; 2 couch-sideboard; kitchen cupboard; 2 sinks; wash sink; 2 cook stoves; 2 heaters; four big bakets; large chest; washing machine and wringer; wash boiler; tub, milk pails, milk cans, etc.; Magnet cream separator; set dishes, pots, pans, cruet, lamps, clock, rug, blanket, carpet strips, child's table and chairs, toilet set, stereoscope set, game board, croquet set, 2 round table boards, house plants, a quantity of potatoes, canned fruit and pickles, cabbage, and numerous other articles.

SALE AT 10 O'CLOCK LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS—All sums at and under \$25 cash; over that amount 12 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing 8 p.c. interest; 2 p.c. off for cash.

W. G. LIESEMER,
Clerk.

J. W. PHILLIPSON,
Auctioneer.

N. SNYDER and
A. HUNSPERGER,
Executors.

AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from Thomas McChesler, 24 miles west and 2 miles north of Didsbury, 1 mile 1 mile west of Hergen P.O. on the 3 W. 1 Sec. 34, 31, 5, W. 5 on

Tuesday, Nov. 16,

I will sell by public auction the following:

HORSES
Black mare, 12 yrs. weight 1400, colt at foot. Black mare, 6 yrs. wt. 1250. Grey mare, 8 yrs. wt. 1100. 2 bay mares, 11 & 12 yrs. wt. 1100. 2 black fillies coming 3, heavy stock. Black gelding coming 3. Grey gelding, 6 yrs. wt. 1100. Iron grey gelding, 4 yrs. wt. 1500. Bay gelding coming 2 Bay filly 2 yrs. old 2 iron grey fillies coming year old.

CATTLE
12 milk cows, good ones. 5 spring calves, 4 heifers coming 2 yrs 5 steers coming 2 yrs. 5 heifers coming 4 yrs.

HOGS
3 shoats 139 lbs. each, Sow 5 months old.

HARNESS
Set brass mounted heavy breaching harness Stock saddle, Set light working harness, 2 sets plow harness, 7 good collars, 50 ft. 7.5 in. rope, 50 ft. 5.8 in. rope.

MACHINERY
Walking plow, 16 in. 2 way harrow 16 in. stable and breaker bottom sulky Massey Harris mower, 9 ft. rake Champion binder, 6 ft. M. M. 12 ft. disc drill, Van Brant seed drill, 15 dia. Weber double box wagon, good as new, Garden cultivator, Demountable Single wagon box, Set wide bob sleighs, No 12 Delaval cream separator, Dancy churn, 10 gal. cream can, 8 gal. cream can.

FURNITURE
Domestic organ, 6 octave, 2 iron bedsteads, 3 sofa, Couch, Oak rocker, 6 good diningroom chairs, 2 writing desks, Music stand, Kitchen chairs Extension diningroom table, Kitchen cabinet, Wheeler & Wilson sewing

machine, 2 heaters with stove pipe, Buffalo robe, Remington 22, rifle, 12 bore shotguns.

SALE AT 11 O'CLOCK, LUNCH AT NOON.
TERMS—All sums at and under \$50 cash; over that amount 12 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing 8 p.c. interest; 2 p.c. off for cash.

SALE AT 11 a.m., LUNCH AT NOON.

T. MICHELSON, Owner.

W. G. LIESEMER, Clerk.

J. W. PHILLIPSON, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

Under instructions from Wm. Holt, on his farm located on the E. 1, 2 Sec. 2, Twp. 32, R. 3, W. 5, 3 1/2 miles north and 7 miles west of Didsbury, on

Thursday, Nov. 18

I will sell by public auction the following:

HORSES
Black mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1400, Bay gelding, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1200, Bay gelding, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1200 Grey mare, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1100 Bay mare, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1200 Bay mare 3 yrs. old, wt. 1500 Bay mare aged, Saddle horse, 5 yrs. old, Sorrell mare, 8 yrs. old Bay mare 5 yrs. old, Bay gelding, 1 yrs. old, 2 yearling colts.

COWS
12 At Milk cows, Jersey type, 6 year, Ring heifers 14 yearling steers, 9 calves 1 purebred shorthorn bull (White Sox) born June 3, 1914, No. 12045, bred by Herbert Wright and Son, Dinton, Alta.

Pigs
1 brood sow, 5 year pigs.

CHEICKS
25 purebred Buff Orpingtons, 25 purebred Golden Wyandotters.

IMPLEMENTS
John Deere breaking plow, 14 in. Emerson gang plow, 16 in. section plow, New bob sleighs, pump nearly new Wagon with box, 3 section drag harrow, 2 hay racks; brush breaker; Buckshot disc drill; Walking plow; Buggy.

HARNESS, ETC.
2 sets heavy breaching harness; 2 sets plow harness; good stock saddle

set, demountable harness; set double driving harness with collars.

FURNITURE
2 iron bedsteads, springs and mattresses, sideboard, bureau, dining table, lounge, rocking chair, 2 sofas, sewing machine, range, milk pails, milk cans, cupboards, sealers.

TERMS—All sums at and under \$25 cash, over that amount 12 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing 8 p.c. interest; 2 p.c. off for cash.

Lunch at 12, sale immediately after.

Wm. HOLTON, Owner.

W. G. LIESEMER, Clerk.

J. W. PHILLIPSON, Auctioneer.

HIGHLAND

The last few days of the chicken season ended with a continual row in

Nichols Valley.

Dr. W. J. Siemens and wife and Mr. and Mrs. J. McLaughlin and Grandchildren from Calgary were seen in the valley and about as they meant to stay. They were staying with H. McKnight for a few days.

Mr. Walter Admussen has left for a visit to the States but friends around here have taken kind notice. Grandpa says it's funny, and would like to know where his little dog is gone.

We are going to invent a sort of a snow shoe so that our horses may travel in safety over some of our GOOD bridges without treading out of sight.

At last deer season is on and so far we have not been able to report any game, but hope to be able to report soon on the western front.

In spite of prohibition you'll find in almost every cafe, that the corn is stewed, the beans are pickled, the knife has an edge, the mackerel is soured, and the tables are full, even in Didsbury.

BEEF SPECIAL

FRONT QUARTERS, per lb. 11c

We are now making the best of

HOME-MADE SAUSAGE

at the following prices:

Sausage, per lb. 20c
Weiners, per lb. 28
Bologna, per lb. 25
Head Cheese, per lb. 25
Liver Sausage, per lb. 25

N. A. COOK.

STOP! LOOK!

We have moved into our new establishment in the Klinck Block and are ready to supply you with anything in up-to-date tailoring.

COMMENCING

Wednesday, Nov. 5,

and continuing for 15 days, we will hold a sale of tailor made clothing. Our samples are the last word in staple and fancy goods ---the models the newest.

The old reliable firm,

G. A. GERTZ.

About Your Battery:

If your battery is run down or needs repairs, ship or bring it to us. We specialize in this work. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lowest possible prices.

We have one of the best equipped storage battery repair shops in Alberta, and with every modern convenience, we are in a position to give you prompt and efficient service.

New batteries on hand at regular list prices

Give us a trial. This is all we ask.

W. P. SHACKLETON,
Willard Service Station,

OLDS, Phone 68 ALTA.

Come in and look over our Christmas Card samples.

**Didsbury Concert Hall
Friday and Saturday,
November 12 and 13**

Wallace Reid

in

"The Dancing Fool"

Admission .40c and .25c
Friday Shows start 7:45 p.m.

DANCE!

After the show Friday evening

AUCTION SALE OF PUREBRED SHORTHORN CATTLE

At the farm of

HON. DUNCAN MARSHALL, OLDS, Alberta

Wednesday, November 17, 1920

70 Head

Offered

10 BULLS

10 months to 17 months;

all by Dale Viscount

10 Imported Cows

with calves at foot

12 Cows

with calves at foot

by Viscount Dale

TEN HEIFER CALVES

Five Heifers and One Bull entered by Z. T. Latimer & Sons
Sale at 11 o'clock Lunch at Noon

Motor cars will meet trains and take visitors to the farm
H. O. TELLIER, Auctioneer.

Frank Collicutt sells 110 head Herefords at his farm at Crossfield the following day, Nov. 18th.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

The Children of Today Are the Parents and Citizens of Tomorrow. In Years to Come the Destinies of Canada Will Be in Their Hands.

My dear Boys and Girls:—

I suppose many of you have been celebrating Hallowe'en. On this page I am giving you some ideas as to what many people do to make Hallowe'en a jolly, bright affair. I remember when I was a little girl, Hallowe'en seemed a very gay festival to me. We had apples strung around the kitchen, and apples hanging from strings and then a big tub into which we used to duck for apples, but there I suppose you know all about it, but I wonder if you all know what an old, old festival Hallowe'en really is. The old Romans held it in honor of Pomona, the goddess of fruit trees. In Britain the Druids celebrated a festival at the same time in honor of the sun god and in thanksgiving for harvest and those two festivals seem to have become one in the British minds. Then when the people became Christians, the wise old church fathers let them keep their feast, but gave it new associations by holding it in memory of lost souls. Thus it came to be called All Hallowe'en. The name comes from an old English word halwe, or as we now say it, holy.

Many superstitions grew around this festival of All Hallowe'en, some believed that on this one night spirits of the departed were allowed to visit their old homes, and in many parts of the old countries food was left and the hearth was swept, before the villagers went to bed. Although these old superstitions have lost their meaning to us who are more enlightened, they still keep some of the quaint old customs.

I must tell you that the prize winner for the October letter writing competition was Viola Agnes DeGraaf, of Eureka, Alta. I am printing another letter this week which I am sure you will all enjoy reading. Next month we will have a new kind of competition.

With much love to you all, and hoping that you are each one enjoying this delightful fall weather and having very many merry times before winter sets in, I am as ever,

Affectionately,

AUNT BETTY.

P.S.—When you write address me "AUNT BETTY," 903 McCollum-Hill Bldg., Regina, Sask.

Letter to Aunt Betty

Trossachs, Sask.,

Oct. 13, 1920.

Dearest Aunt Betty:—

I am a girl fifteen years old, and I have passed grade eight. I read Viola's letter in the Children's Corner, and I thought it very interesting. Her idea of having the boys and girls make up stories and send them to the Children's Corner, is a very nice one. I have several stories that I wrote that I would be glad to send in. Perhaps we could have story, poem, or other kinds of contests. What do you say, Aunt Betty?

Viola said that she thinks that spring is the best part of the year. I do not think so. My favorite season is autumn. The autumn air is so crisp and invigorating. The fallen leaves give it a fresh tang that I love. I feel so much like putting on a tan

and sweater, and going off for a long tramp. It is the only season in which I never get tired of walking. Autumn is also the month of nut-picking parties, bon fires, and gay, festive Hallowe'en. In autumn you are reminded of the poems:

See the kitten on the wall
Sporting with the leaves that fall.

Withered leaves, one, two and three,

From the lofty elder tree.

It is a very pretty poem, but I do not remember it all. The only fault with autumn, I think, is that it is too short.

I have not so many brothers or sisters as Viola, for I have only one brother and two sisters. I am the oldest.

I am very fond of fancy work, sewing, and reading. Among the best books that I have read, are: "David," "Copperfield," "Little Women," and "Little Men," the "Anne" books, and "Freckles," "Girl of the Limberlost," and the other "Limberlost" books.

If the other members have not read them, they ought to, for they are very good, interesting books.

Well I must close now, Aunt Betty, hoping to find my letter in the Children's Corner.

From your niece,

LUCY ELLEN GRAHAM.

GULLIVER IN LILLIPUT

Lemuel Gulliver states that his father had a small estate in Nottinghamshire, England, and that he was the third of five sons. He was bound apprentice to an eminent surgeon in London and his father occasionally sent him small sums of money. He laid this money out in learning navigation as he believed that some day he would travel and that this knowledge would be useful to him. He became surgeon successively in two ships and made several voyages to the East and West Indies. His hours of leisure were spent in reading the best authors; and when he was ashore in observing the manners of the people as well as learning their language.

Gulliver then accepted an offer from Captain Pritchard, master of the Antelope, who was making a voyage to the South Sea and set sail from Bristol, May 4, 1699. They were driven by a storm to the northwest of Van Diemen's Land, where they were tossed on a rock. Six of the crew, of whom Gulliver was one, launched a lifeboat and got into it, but in about half an hour it was upset. What became of his companions he did not know, but he swam as fortune directed; and when he was almost gone he found himself within his depth and so reached shore. He says: "I lay down on the grass and slept."

(Next week we will tell what happened when he awoke.)

Buy your city-of-town supplies with Dominion Express Money Orders. Five Dollars costs three cents.

Hallowe'en Games

Ducking for Apples

Get two tubs ready, half filled with water, one for the boys and one for the girls. Put in each a number of apples with long stems, each stem having a name securely attached to it on a slip of paper. The fun is in trying to catch one of the bobbing apples with the teeth; the apple must not be caught by the stem. The name attached to the apple is supposed to be the name of the future helpmeet of the youth or maiden who contrives to fish it out of the water. The hands must be fastened behind the back for this trick.

Burning Nuts

Name two nuts and place them on a shovel held over an open fire, gas log will do.

Repeat this chorus:

"Nuts I place upon the fire
And to each nut I give a sweet-heart's name."

If either of the nuts hisses or steams, it shows that the owner of the name has a cranky temper. If the nuts pop together, and toward each other, the friendship between the two persons will

BEWARE OF DECEPTION

Statistics show that when egg albumen is used as a constituent of baking powder, the amount so used is too small (usually 15/100 of 1%) to affect the quality or effectiveness of the baking powder containing it, and when so used, is plainly for the purpose of fraud. Intelligent buyers will not permit themselves to be deceived by the water glass test.

MAGIC BAKING POWDER

contains no alum or egg albumen and is guaranteed to be composed of the ingredients printed on the label—and none other.

Made in Canada By Canadians
For Canadians

probably increase and grow warmer. If, however, one does not pop at all or they fall away from each other, the feeling will grow cooler and the friends will be divided.

Apple Paring

Peel an apple without breaking the skin, saving the paring around your head three times and let it fall to floor over the left shoulder. The letter formed as it falls to the ground gives the name of your future spouse.

Prophecy by Feathers

Take three small fluffy feathers. On three small pieces of paper write the words "blonde," "brunette" and "medium," and attach these papers to the ends of the little quills. To make the test hold up the feathers by their tops and with a puff of breath send them flying towards the table. The one that falls nearest to you tells the complexion of your true love. The test should be made three times to make the prophecy quite sure.

UNCLE JIM'S JUMBLED JINGLES

Grown-ups don't know everything after all, and what I am going to tell you will show you that this is true.

Uncle Jim came over to the house one day last week, and went up to the nursery to see the children. Mother wanted to show Uncle Jim how clever the children were and she asked them all to say little nursery rhymes. Little

Ted didn't do as well as the others and Uncle Jim said: "Now Ted, I am ashamed of you. When I was a little boy I could always say my rhymes." Ted asked him if he could still say them, and Uncle Jim said, sure he could.

So Ted started to ask Uncle Jim to recite a few of the rhymes from Mother Goose.

It was a great joke on Uncle Jim. Ted would give him the first line and ask him to finish, but I think Uncle Jim must have got things awfully mixed for here's the way he recited the rhymes:

Mary had a little lamb,

She drove him many a mile,

Till he jumped into a bramble bush

Against a crooked stile.

Hark! hark! The dogs do bark,

And the cow has jumped over

For Little Bo-Peep has lost her sheep—

But father will come to her soon.

Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn,

The bees are come to town.

And old Mother Hubbard has gone to the cupboard

To get her poor girl a gown.

Old Mother Hubbard sat in a corner

Eating her curds and whey;

The little dog laughed to see such sport,

And the Piper's son ran away.

Simple Simon met a pieman

Who wouldn't say his prayers,

He followed him from school one day

And ate up all his wares.

So you see, grown-ups don't know everything, do they?

He followed him from school one day

And ate up all his wares.

So you see, grown-ups don't know everything, do they?

How to Sharpen a Lead Pencil

A pencil that is not sharpened properly is neither useful nor pretty. If the pencil is for sketching, it should be sharpened equally all round so that a perfect point is produced, and the wood should be cut away at a gentle slope. Short, stumpy points and points that are too long and tapering are just as bad.

If the pencil is to be used for drawing straight lines as in perspective work, then it should not be sharpened to a point. Cut it with a long slope on opposite sides so that the end is chisel shaped, and then slightly round the angles of this chisel end. A pencil sharpened in this way may be used for line work for a long time, and the best way to sharpen it is to use a piece of sandpaper.

A tall man, impatiently pacing the platform of a wayside station, accosted a boy of about twelve.

"S-s-say," he said, "d-d-do you know h-h-how late this train is?"

The boy grinned, but made no reply. The man stuttered out something about kids in general and passed into the station.

A stranger asked the boy why he hadn't answered the big man.

"D-d-d-d-ye want to see me g-g-get me f-f-f-a-l-l-a-p-p-e punched?"

D-d-d-d-ye want to see me g-g-get me f-f-f-a-l-l-a-p-p-e punched?"

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Mr. Richard Oliver's sale which was to have been held on November 10th, has been postponed to November 19th.

AROUND THE TOWN

The Hub Grocery has installed a long felt want by arranging a ladies' rest room in the store. The room in this room is absolutely free and is to be used for any purpose.

The Rev. C. H. McElroy of Edmonton, representative of the Scotch-Canadian Presbyterian Canadian Bible Society, presented the needs of this noble work in November 7th, at the best church and festival school. The message was both instructive and inspiring. A very liberal response followed the service. The offering amounted to \$70.72.

There will be a dance at the Melvin school on Friday evening, November 18. Ladies are kindly requested to bring lunch.

Mr. Sherman Eason and Mr. Norman Hines have been visiting with Mrs. Hines of Edmonton. They left for Ontario Thursday.

SHORTHORN SALE

In another column will be found an advertisement of the Shorthorn sale of H. H. Farnham. Mr. Farnham's farm at Didsbury on November 15th. One of the aims of this sale is the offering of ten imported cows from the recent importation of Messrs. Marshall, Russell and Watt. These cows are an exceptionally fine lot of high class females from the best herds in Britain. They will sell with calves at foot and most of them bred again. This means having three animals in one lot and getting the best Shorthorn blood as a foundation. Five of the cows have heifer calves at foot. In the sale are ten bull calves, several heifer calves and twelve calves to sell with their mothers, all by Mr. Marshall's great breeding bull, "Vicomte," the sire of "Mayfield Dale," an international prize winner. This sale is held on the farm, so buyers can see the land and all his get as well as the breeding cows. Four or five young bulls are real prospects for herd bulls and are 18 both as individuals and in breeding to head any purchased herd.

POSTPOND AUCTION SALE

Under instructions from Mr. Richard Oliver I will sell by public auction the following live stock on the S.W. 1/4 of Sec. 6, T. 32, R. 2, West of 5, 3 miles North and 5 1/2 miles west of Didsbury on:

Friday, Nov. 19

the following live stock:
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25 head horses ranging from 1000 to 1400 lbs., nearly all mares and broke to harness. 2 mares have calves at foot. 12 good sheeps. 1 yearling bull coming 2 yrs. As Mr. Richard Oliver is giving up farming everything must be sold. Lunch at noon sale to commence at 1 o'clock sharp.
TERMS—All sales at and under \$25 cash; over that amount 12 months credit will be given on approved bankable notes bearing 8 per cent interest. 2 per cent off for cash over \$25.00.

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The picture, "Evangeline," which was to have been presented at the opera house on November 19 and 20, can now be obtained for those desiring to see the great drama for the first time in Winnipeg.

Mr. P. R. Reed in company with Mr. W. P. Poucher of Edmonton, who is in building supplies and Mr. A. G. Howe, paid a visit to the Peat Medal Mining Co. in Nipaw, Sask. Messrs. Reed and Poucher returned last Sunday but Mr. Howe remained. Mr. Reed reports that these mines are in a very flourishing condition and that a few thousand dollars would make them a most paying proposition.

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